

## Mutineers Seize ALL BRAZIL'S NAVY; CITY IS BOMBARDED

Revolt Spreads When Negotiations With Minas Geraes Captors Fail.

## PRESIDENT FONSECA FLEES INTO INTERIOR

Captain Baptiste Neves Among the Dead—Strict Censorship Is Maintained.

## Day's Incidents in Revolt of Brazilian Navy

Brazil's entire navy in state of revolt, and guns of warships open on Rio de Janeiro, according to London dispatch. President Fonseca said to have fled from the city, seeking refuge in the interior. Captain of the Minas Geraes and two officers reported to be among those killed by the mutineers. Strict censorship is maintained and details of the fighting are strictly suppressed by the government. Report of mutiny confirmed in dispatches to the State Department and the Brazilian embassy, though no mention is made in either of any killed or wounded.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—The entire Brazilian navy is in revolt, and is bombarding the City of Rio Janeiro, according to a dispatch just received here. The mutiny spread to all the warships this morning, when negotiations between the mutineers of the Minas Geraes and the government were broken off. It is understood that President Fonseca has fled into the interior. Among the dead is Capt. Baptiste Neves. The army is still loyal. Three officers, including the captain of the Minas Geraes, are said to have been killed. Many of the officers were ashore and escaped injury. A strict censorship is being maintained and details are difficult to get. Desperate fighting is reported to have taken place on the Minas Geraes. The signal for mutiny was given on that vessel at noon yesterday and a conflict immediately ensued. The officers of the vessel were taken by surprise, but fought bravely at the head of ninety men who remained loyal. The battle raged for an hour and then the loyal sailors yielded to the 250 mutineers, who had killed the ship's captain in the first few minutes of fighting. The other officers were seized and locked in their cabins. By this time a conflict was raging on the Sao Paulo, but this ceased when the mutineers on the Minas Geraes trained their guns on her sister ship and called upon the loyalists to surrender. The cruiser was the next to yield under the frowning guns.

## DISPATCHES HERE CONFIRM REPORT

Confirmations of the mutiny of sailors on Brazilian warships in the harbor of Rio de Janeiro were received here today in dispatches to the State Department and the Brazilian embassy. Though both dispatches stated that the sailors were in possession of the three warships lying in the harbor, a fight with their officers, no mention was made in either of any fatalities. Whether Capt. Baptiste Neves and two of his officers on the Minas Geraes were killed or not is not known here today. Consal Silechta, at Rio de Janeiro, telegraphed the State Department last night to the effect that the sailors were in command of all the warships in the harbor. This dispatch, received here today, gave no further details, nor did it give any intimation of the causes of the outbreak, or subsequent events. Charge d'Affaires Silvas, of the Brazilian embassy, in a message received here today, was informed that the sailors had successfully risen against their officers, and held all the warships in the harbor, three in number. The charge expressed the opinion that if Captain Neves was dead at the time the dispatch was filed, he would have been informed of the fact. He is inclined to believe the reported fatalities are not founded on fact.

## WEATHER REPORT.

FORECAST FOR THE DISTRICT. Fair followed by rain by Friday morning or Friday; warmer tonight; light to moderate south winds shifting to west Friday.

TEMPERATURES.	
8 a. m.	44
9 a. m.	48
10 a. m.	48
11 a. m.	48
12 noon.	52
1 p. m.	52
2 p. m.	52

SUN TABLE.	
Sun rises	6:53
Sun sets	4:31

TIDE TABLE.	
Today—High tide, 1:54 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.	Low tide, 8:27 a. m. and 9:05 p. m.
Tomorrow—High tide, 2:57 a. m. and 3:27 p. m.	Low tide, 9:33 a. m. and 10:06 p. m.

CONDITION OF WATER. HARPERS FERRY, W. Va., Nov. 24.—Both rivers clear this morning.

## Scenes at Diplomatic Mass at St. Patrick's Church This Morning

THE PROCESSION TO THE CHURCH. CARDINAL GIBBONS.



PRESIDENT AND MRS. TAFT AND FATHER RUSSELL.

## DIPLOMATS GATHER AT NOTABLE MASS

President and Men Representing Foreign Nations At St. Patrick's.

Men representing the nations of two continents bowed their heads in Thanksgiving prayer today when Cardinal Gibbons, in the presence of perhaps the most distinguished gathering ever to assemble in St. Patrick's Church, pronounced the benediction which brought to a close the second annual Pan-American Thanksgiving Day. The President of the United States, six members of his Cabinet, diplomatic representatives from every Latin-American country, judges of the Supreme Court of the United States and of the District of Columbia, Senators and Representatives in Congress, and officials of the Bureau of American Republics, as well as hundreds of persons prominent in the religious, social, and official life of Washington, attended. Scene Impressive. No more impressive scene was ever witnessed than that when these men, who were the greatest temporal power, knelt with one accord and received the benediction of a gray-haired man in a scarlet robe who stood today for the spiritual power of the Catholic church in America. Creed, beliefs, and denomination differences were set at naught in this gathering of diplomats and public officials who came to attend by their presence that the two Americas were at peace with one another and that every nation whose flag hung in St. Patrick's Church today had cause to be thankful for a year's blessings. The commodious church was packed to the doors and outside hundreds of persons stood for nearly two hours awaiting the end of the services. Following the celebration of the high mass, Cardinal Gibbons and the Apostolic Delegate, the Rt. Rev. Diomedo Falcomi, met a number of the attending diplomats at an informal reception in the rectory of the church. This was followed by a luncheon. President Taft and the members of his Cabinet all had arrived at the church by 11 o'clock, the hour set for the beginning of the mass, one of the most impressive and beautiful ever seen at St. Patrick's. Dignitaries Form. The diplomats from the republics south of the United States also had arrived by this hour and had taken their seats along the center aisle, well down toward the front of the church. President and Mrs. Taft occupied one of the front pews. At the appointed hour the procession of church dignitaries formed at the front door of the rectory and prepared for the march to the church. (Continued on Sixth Page.)

## WARRANT IS ISSUED FOR POST CARD MAN

Police Take Action In Crusade Against Sale of Objectionable Cards.

A thorough investigation of the sale of certain post cards in the lower Pennsylvania avenue emporiums resulted today in the issuance of a warrant for Charles McIlhenny, of 499 Pennsylvania avenue. Mr. McIlhenny will appear in Police Court tomorrow morning. He will be charged with having sold two post cards which violate the regulations of the code dealing with the sale of objectionable pictures. Mr. McIlhenny is the last of several of the Pennsylvania avenue post card vendors to be cited to court. A little more than a year ago Precinct Detective James Armstrong and Sergeant Curry, of the Sixth precinct, took several dealers to court, and each was fined \$50, with the alternative of a jail term, and then allowed their freedom on their own recognizance. Since that time, according to the police of the Sixth precinct, they have seldom found any cards which come under the provisions of the prohibitory law. The real force of the crusade to be reinaugurated by the police and the office of the assistant district attorney to clean the city of any display of postcards which might offend the good taste of the public will be directed toward an amendment of the present laws which allow the display and sale of motto cards, and picture cards with captions which are capable of objectionable constructions.

## MADERO CUTS WAY OUT OF TRAP AND ESCAPES

He Has Heavy Loss of Men In Getting Away, But Starts for Chihuahua to Engage the Government Troops There.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 24.—General Madero escaped today from a cordon of Mexican troops that surrounded his force last night, and is reported to be leading his men to Chihuahua to engage the federal troops. The revolutionists cut themselves out of a trap, with heavy loss of life on both sides. EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 24.—Additional reports continue to reach here of sharp conflicts between Mexican troops and revolutionists, but they are accompanied by the news that the soldiers are victorious all along the line. Efforts were made today to get in communication with Guerrero in the state of Durango from which nothing had been heard. Mexican officials declare, however, that this was caused by the cutting of the telegraph wires. In a short skirmish at San Andreas, Chihuahua, Colonel Yopez and four soldiers were killed after twenty rebels had fallen. Looks Like Government Victory. Latest reports indicate that the government's claim of victory is undoubtedly true, but raids by the defeated rebels are still spreading terror along the border. The first details of the fighting at Gomez-Palacio reached here today. The revolutionists made another attack from Santa Fe ranch, south of the city, where they gathered in force. Two Battles on Nov. EAGLE PASS, Tex., Nov. 24.—Latest reports indicate that Madero and Temosachic, Mexican towns with large commercial enterprises, are still in the rebels' hands, and that a battle is raging at both places, the federal troops having assaulted them at dawn. Three hundred revolutionists surrendered last night at Parral. Madero Captured. MEXICO CITY, Nov. 24.—The iron hand of Porfirio Diaz, President of Mexico, has smashed the revolt aimed to crush his power, and General Francisco Madero, the rebel leader, is a prisoner in the hands of the Federal troops, according to government telegraphic advices received from the north today. Madero's followers are reported to be in flight to the mountains with soldiers in hot pursuit. The report of Madero's capture reached here today from Eagle Pass, Texas. When the capture of Madero is confirmed he will be brought to Mexico City. There is little doubt that he will be in hot pursuit. (Continued on Third Page.)

## DEEP WATERWAY MEN TO ASK "SHOW DOWN"

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 24.—Delegates to the deep waterway convention which will open here tomorrow, will demand a show down as to when the project of a deep waterway from Chicago to the Gulf will be realized. Twenty-five governors, 200 members of the next Congress, and several United States Senators will be present when the business session opens tomorrow. The delegates are filling hotels today. The convention will make all its plans to storm Congress for an appropriation bigger than the comparatively insignificant one granted at the last session. At least 5,000 will be in attendance, and the meeting will be of more importance than the one in Chicago. Chesapeake and Ohio Fast Service To Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis, St. Louis, Chicago, and the West. Solid train to St. Louis, with Chicago sleepers, leaves Washington 9:30 p. m. Other trains 2:00 p. m. and 11:10 p. m. First class a la carte dining car service. Advt.

## TAFT IS SWAMPED WITH MANY TASKS

President Expects to Have Message to Read to Cabinet Friday. Thanksgiving Day at the White House found President Taft back from the Canal Zone, in the best of health and ready to get down to hard work. Despite the fact it was a holiday, the president devoted a considerable part of the day to the duties of his office. The president's program was one of work, church, more work, and dinner at 7:30. The dinner is to be honored by the presence of the biggest turkey that has ever graced the White House table. The Chief Executive was engaged with a stenographer by 9 o'clock. He worked steadily, clearing up his correspondence. (Continued on Second Page.)

## PASTOR AND WIFE SLAIN BY ROBBERS

Aged Couple Shot and Killed By Burglars—Crime Committed for Little Hoard, Their Life Savings. Hundreds Seeking Murderers.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 24.—Forcing their way into the modest little home of the Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Armstrong, of Dutch Neck, a small community ten miles from this city, burglars shot and killed the old couple early today. The crime, the most brutal that has occurred in Mercer county for many years, has aroused the entire countryside and farmers with loaded shot guns are scouring the country in search of the murderer or murderers. The Rev. Armstrong, eighty years old, has been pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Dutch Neck for twenty years. His wife was but a few years his junior. Both were venerated and beloved by the community. The parsonage of the church is located in a lonely portion of the village, which has about 1,000 inhabitants. Neither the minister nor his wife was wealthy, but during the years they have lived in the village they have been able to accumulate a comfortable nest egg. This was kept hidden in the house, and it is for this, it is supposed, that they were murdered. The place was ransacked, and the little hoard taken. Prosecutor William J. Crossley has assumed charge of the case, and a score of detectives are now working on it. Negro farm hands working in this vicinity for several days past are suspected. The detectives thus far have not obtained a single clue.

## EXPERTS DEMAND GREATER PAY FOR WORK IN TREASURY

Accountants Working for Young & Company File Affidavits Alleging Experts Do Not Give Them What Firm Is Allowed By Government for Employees.

## THREATEN TO ENTER SUIT FOR RECOVERY

Controversy Expected to Result In Investigation of Contracts By Congress—Secretary MacVeagh Declines to Disclose Contents of Agreements.

## Charges Against Economy Experts Employed by Treasury

Controversy between Arthur Young & Co., expert Chicago accountants, who are reorganizing business system of Treasury Department, and their former employes threatens to expose. Two dissatisfied former employes file affidavits with Department of Justice alleging Young & Co. receive liberal compensation from Government, but pay them small salary in proportion. Civil suit to force the collection of the difference between amount received from Government and amount paid to the two accountants by Young & Co. is possible. Secretary MacVeagh refuses to make public the contents of the contract between the Government and Young & Co. to put Treasury Department on a better business basis. Possibility of the controversy stirring up an investigation by the Democratic House of the contract as bearing on alleged extravagance of the Administration is the political phase of the wrangle.

The question whether Uncle Sam has been getting his money's worth in hiring Arthur Young & Co., of Chicago, as expert accountants to reorganize the business system of the Treasury Department is raised by trouble that has broken out between Young and certain of his former employes. Affidavits have been filed with the Department of Justice by two men who were employed by Arthur Young & Co. as accountants in the work which has been done at the Treasury Department. In these affidavits, it is alleged that while the Government paid Young & Co. liberal allowances per diem for the work of these employes, the employes themselves received but a small part of what the Government paid. It is expected that a civil suit for recovery will grow out of the matter. At any rate, the dissatisfied accountants are now threatening it. In case the suit is begun and tried, there will be a sifting of the whole difficulty in the courts. Charges in Detail. Specifically, it is alleged in the affidavits filed with the Department of Justice that in the case of one accountant Young & Co. paid \$30 a day salary and \$3 for subsistence, and in the case of another, \$12.50 a day salary and \$3 for subsistence. Out of this, the accountants who are complaining were paid, they assert, \$200 a month in one case and \$20 a week in the other case. They assert they were not paid subsistence, though one of them came here from Chicago and the other from New York.

## WIFE AND BABY WIN FAGIN SHORT TERM

Louis Rosenbaum Sentenced to Six Months for Robbing Express Wagons.

While his wife and sobbing child sat in the outer part of the courtroom, Louis Rosenbaum, self-confessed thief and Fagin, was sentenced by Judge Mulwony, in the Police Court today to six months in jail. Rosenbaum, whose home is at 707 Rhode Island avenue, was arrested yesterday by Detective Howas, on information given by four boys who claimed that he had taught them to steal. Some time ago the Merchants' Transfer and Delivery Company began to miss packages from their wagons. The boys, Samuel Grant, Frederick Gross, and Solomon Rosenbaum, boys, admitted stealing the goods and said they had been instructed to do so by Rosenbaum. The Grant boy is colored. He says Rosenbaum taught his brother and sons to steal from the wagons. The boys were addressed to receive the money for them. This the boys turned over to Rosenbaum, who paid them 50 cents. The gang, Grant said, had been at this work for about a week, but he did not know how many packages they had taken. Rosenbaum admitted that he had taught the boys how to steal, but denied he had shared in the receipts of all their thefts. "I'd like to send you down for three or four years," said the court, "but there's your wife and little baby out there and I hear that they are dependent upon you for support. It's always the woman and children who suffer. As this is your first offense, I'll let you off with three months' straight sentence in two of the cases, and the same in the other two with a parole clause." The cases of the boys will come before Judge De Lacy, in the Juvenile Court, tomorrow.

## ENGLAND SEES YANKEE FOOTBALL

LONDON, Nov. 24.—A vast crowd today witnessed the first American football game ever played in England, when the visiting American battleship fleet met on the Crystal Palace gridiron. At the end of the first half the Idaho team had rolled up eleven points against no score for the Vermonters. The game ended with the Idaho team victorious, and the Duke of Manchester presented them with the silver cup that was hung up at the prize. The score was Idaho, 20, Vermont, 0.

## Object of Work.

It has been the object of the employment of Young & Co. to put the Treasury Department on a better business basis, to effect changes in the system that would cause savings and promote economy and efficiency, much as a big business house would do. Arthur Young & Co. was first employed for this work at the suggestion of Charles D. Norton, now Secretary to the President. Mr. Norton has long been friendly to Arthur Young. But while Mr. Norton made the suggestion, it was Secretary MacVeagh, of the Treasury Department, himself who really retained Young & Co. and approved the contract with them. In the efforts of the Administration to bring about economy, experts have been retained in various departments to devise better systems of accounting and getting things down to a better business foundation. Young & Co., however, have been overhauling things only in the Treasury Department and at the White House. From the standpoint of the public service the question that arises in consequence of the affidavits filed at the Department of Justice is whether it is worth while for the Government, in a movement to get on a better business basis, to be utilizing accountants who are working at \$30 or \$40 a week. Contract a Secret. An interesting phase of the controversy which the accountants who are at war with Young & Co. have stirred up relates to the contract between the Treasury Department and the Chicago concern. This contract has not been made public. The dissatisfied accountants sought